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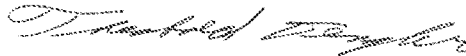
Claims 1, 3, 5, 6, 7 and 9 through 23 are in this application and are presented for consideration. Claims 1, 3, 7, 9, 10, 12 and 14 have been amended, and new claims 16 through 23 have been added.

The claims have been amended to provide the proper status identifiers as requested in the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated April 12, 2007.

If the Examiner has any comments or suggestions which would further favorable prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to contact applicant's representative by telephone to discuss possible changes.

Favorable action on the merits of this application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted  
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SHOULD ANY OTHER FEE BE REQUIRED, THE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE IS HEREBY REQUESTED TO CHARGE SUCH FEE TO OUR DEPOSIT ACCOUNT 13-0410.